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- (4) Tobacco produced in a quota State that is represented to be nonquota tobacco and that is readily and distinguishably different from all kinds of quota tobacco, as determined by the Agricultural Marketing Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, through application of the standards issued by the Secretary for the inspection and identification of tobacco. Such inspection and identification shall be made prior to removal of the tobacco from the State where it was produced; and
- (5) Tobacco which is nonquota tobacco and produced in a quota area in which the total of the acreage allotments for quota tobacco established for farms is less than twenty acres.

## § 723.302 Tobacco for experimental purposes.

For farms on which tobacco is being grown for experimental purposes by or under the direction of a publicly owned agricultural experiment station, such tobacco shall be exempt from any penalties otherwise required by this part if, before the beginning of the harvesting of tobacco from any farm on which experimental tobacco is being grown, the director of such publicly owned agricultural experimental station furnishes a report, to the State Executive Director for the State in which the farm is located, that includes the following information:

- (a) Name and address of the publicly owned agricultural experiment station.
- (b) Name of the owner, and name of the operator if different from the owner, and the farm number of each farm on which tobacco is grown for experimental purposes only.
- (c) The acreage or poundage of tobacco that is to be grown on each farm for experimental purposes only.
- (d) A certification signed by the director of the publicly owned agricultural experiment station to the effect that such acreage or poundage of tobacco is being grown for each farm for experimental purposes only, the tobacco is being grown under the auspices of such director, and the acreage of each plot was considered necessary for carrying out the experiment.

## § 723.303 Production of registered or certified flue-cured tobacco seed.

Producers of registered or certified flue-cured tobacco seed may devote flue-cured tobacco acreage in excess of the effective allotment to seed production without such acreage of tobacco causing a "No Price Support" entry on the marketing card issued for the farm if an agreement is signed by the farm operator, and the producer, if different from the operator, which provides:

- (a) Destruction prior to harvest. For the destruction prior to harvest of all tobacco produced on the acreage designated for seed production.
- (b) Producer payment of compliance costs. That the producers shall pay the cost of compliance visits to a farm by representatives of the county FSA committee for the purposes of:
- (1) Designating and determining the acreage of seed production, and
- (2) Determining that no tobacco has been harvested from the acreage designated for seed production and to witness destruction of tobacco leaves.
- (c) Agreement. That the producer(s) signing the agreement shall agree to timely notify the county FSA office when the tobacco seed has been harvested.
- (d) No history credit. That the planting of the tobacco acreage for seed production will not create history acreage for the purpose of establishing future farm allotments.
- (e) Cancellation of marketing cards. That if the county FSA committee determines that any of the terms and conditions of the agreement have been violated or any material misrepresentation has been made, any marketing card issued for the farm in recognition of the agreement shall be recalled and canceled, and a marketing card shall be issued to reflect that tobacco produced on the farm is not eligible for price support.

## § 723.304 Determination of discount varieties.

(a) Definition. Discount variety means any of the flue-cured tobacco seed varieties designated as Coker 139, Coker 140, Coker 316, Reams 64, Reams 266, or Dixie Bright 244, or a mixture or strain of such seed varieties, or any breeding